

REMARKS

Claims 11-15 and 22-29 are pending in this application.

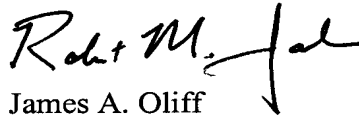
Applicant thanks the Examiner for the indication that claims 11-15 and 22 contain allowable subject matter. By this amendment, claims 23-29 are canceled. Entry of this amendment with respect to the claims is proper under 37 CFR §1.116(b)(1) since the amendment is made canceling claims. Entry of the amendment to the claims thus respectfully requested.

With respect to the specification, entry of the amendments is requested to make minor revisions in form to place the application in better condition for allowance. No new matter is added. Entry of the amendments to the specification is respectfully requested.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and prompt allowance of claims 11-15 and 22 are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

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